Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. **(Original)** A soldered condenser for a motor vehicle air-conditioning system having a pipe/ribbed block and collector pipes which are arranged on both sides and which receive the ends of the pipes, and a collector which is arranged in parallel with one of the collector pipes and which is fluidically connected to the adjacent collector pipe via two openings and receives a dryer/filter cartridge, characterized in that the collector (1) has a first soldered-in closure part (5), in that the dryer/filter cartridge (7) is mechanically connected to the first closure part (5), and in that the second closure part (6) is nondetachably connected to the collector (1, 4).
- 2. **(Original)** The condenser as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the dryer/filter cartridge (7) is attached to the bottom-side closure part (5).
- 3. **(Currently amended)** The condenser as claimed in claim 1 [[or 2]], characterized in that the dryer/filter cartridge (7) is connected to the closure part (5) via a clip connection (19, 22).
- 4. **(Original)** The condenser as claimed in claim 3, characterized in that the clip connection has at least one armature (19) which is soldered into the closure part (5) and behind which a sprung latching element (22) of the dryer/filter cartridge (7, 8) engages.
- 5. **(Original)** The condenser as claimed in claim 4, characterized in that the dryer/filter cartridge (7) is composed of a plastic cage (8) with a bottom part (9) on which the latching element (22) is integrally formed.

- 6. **(Currently amended)** The condenser as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 5, characterized in that the dryer/filter cartridge (7, 8) has a circumferential sealing lip (15) in the region between the openings (2, 3).
- 7. **(Original)** The condenser as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that a sieve (16) is arranged on the plastic cage (8) on the circumference in the region below the sealing lip (15).
- 8. **(Currently amended)** The condenser as claimed in one of the preceding claims <u>claim 1</u>, characterized in that a gap (12) is left between the dryer/filter cartridge (7, 8) and the inner wall of the collector (4), said gap (12) being spanned partially by a bead-like spacer element (13, 14).
- 9. **(Currently amended)** A method for manufacturing a condenser as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1, characterized in that
- [[-]] the condenser is first soldered to the pipe/ribbed block, collector pipes, collector and only one closure part (5) in an oven,
- [[-]] in that the premounted dryer/filter cartridge (7) is then moved into the collector (1, 4) through the open end side and is attached to the closure part (5), and
- [[-]] in that the collector (4) is finally nondetachably closed by means of the second closure element (6).